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". even cities claimed a Homer dead In which the living Homer begged his bread." Recently, Rev. R R Hawlson has very

Recently, Rev. R. R. Hawlson has very clearly sectiod the question with regard to three of these sc-called discoverers, but there are more to follow who will not down. In reading history, it is well to glance at the side lights that now and then flit across the page. Some coming through the cypress the page. Some coming through the cypress fores s of Central America where the gray moss drapes those wonderful deed cities of a lost age. Some fall from the Teocallis of Mexico, equally mysterious in heir builders. Some arise from traces of the mound build.

the Atlantis of romance and song.

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flowed with beer."
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This conclusion is reached by finding the inscription on the Virgitia Grave-creek stone to be identical with the Carian alphabet; and the Carians were sailors on Phos Dicien ve 88 8

Such an acthority carries great weight and could not easily be overthrown.

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to the beginning.

7. One undivided half of Lot of Ground on the west side of Union st., between Prince and Queen streets, beginning at the north east corner or the bake house devised by Bichard (onway to Thomas Conway (about one hundred and sixty-nine feet nine inches north of Queen street, and running them:

the Ones treet one hundred and forty free more street, one hundred and forty free more street, one hundred and forty free more streets, one hundred and forty free more streets, one hundred and forty free more streets, one hundred and forty free more streets. to Queen street, one hundred and forty feet, more or less, to Brockett's alley; thence southwardly with said alley forty-nine feet two inches; thence

or less, to Brockett's alley; thence southwardly with said alloy forty-nine feet two inches; thence castwardly parallel to Queen street one I nadred and-forty feet, more or less, to the beginning.

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feet to the beginning with the use of said alley. The boundaries include the Dwelling House and about twelve front test of the open lot on the outh, the whole extending back to the middle of S. A vacant Lot of Ground adjacent to the lot above described, and bounded as follows; viz: Beginning on St. Asaph street at the south line of the McVeigh Dwelling Houselot as above described one hundred-and-ninety feet four inches (190.4) more or less, to the south of Prince street, and running thence west with that line parallel to Prince one hundred and-twenty three feet five inches (123.5), more or less, to the middle of the

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to the north line of the two-story frame house formerly the property of Samuel H. Janney (now, or lately, the property of Samuel H. Janney (now, or lately, the property of M. W. Berry); thence west parallel to Prince street one hundred and twenty three feet five inches (123.5), more or less, to the middle of the quare and to the east line of a ten-feet alley leading into Duke street; thence north with the east line of said alley parallel to St. Araph street twenty-five feet six and one half inches (25.6 %), more or less, to the southwest corner of the adjacent lot on the north; thence east parallel to Prince street one hundred and twenty three five inches (123.5), more or less, to the beginning, with the use of said alley.

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Wa-hi gion street and running thence south par-allel to that street sixty-seven feet seven icedes (67.7); thence east parallel to Prince street forty-seven feet five inches (47.5), more or less, to the middle of the rquare; thence north parallel to Washington street with the west line of the lot conveyed (farury 16, 1837,) by Janney to Hill; sixty-seven feet seven irchis (67.7) to the said alley; then west on the alley forty- even feet five inches (47.5), more or less, to the baginning, with all appurtenances.

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